

KIWANEWS

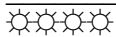


NEWSLETTER OF THE KIWANIS CLUB OF LETHBRIDGE 

Club Meeting --- TUESDAYS at 12:05 p.m.

Catering by Country Kitchen, Lower Level of the Keg --- October 6, 2009

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PRESIDENTIAL PONDERINGS

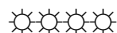
Fellow Kiwanians:

This is my last contribution for "Kiwaneews", my *Presidential Ponderings* as editor Jim Day has labeled my item. I would like to begin by thanking Jim for producing "Kiwaneews" every two weeks. My small contribution for each issue has helped me appreciate the effort required to produce our newsletter which is so important for our club. I would also like to thank my secret editors, my wife and daughter, for editing my rambling comments.

As I mentioned last Tuesday I began my year as president somewhat reluctantly; however, with a few kind reminders and suggestions we have made it through the year and the task has been enjoyable. I would like to thank everyone who contributed to our activities this past year. This includes board members, music festival committee, Tuesday program planner, and social committee. I would also like to thank all those who volunteered at the festival, members who contributed to the Terrific Kids program, park cleaners, and all those who helped tend the Salvation Army kettles. We also have a core of members who regularly attend our Tuesday meetings who deserve recognition for their faithful attendance.

I wish Keith well as he takes over as president. It is my hope that his plans for club growth are successful and that all will do their part to ensure the survival of our club.

President Jim



At the request of incoming President Keith, I have agreed to edit the *Kiwaneews* for one more year. I look forward to including a message from Keith in each newsletter throughout his term in office.

Jim Day, ed.

KIWANIS KALENDAR

Mon Oct 5	11:00 Wilma Winter's funeral
Tu Oct 6	t.b.a.
Tu Oct 13	Installation of new Board

BIRTHDAYS

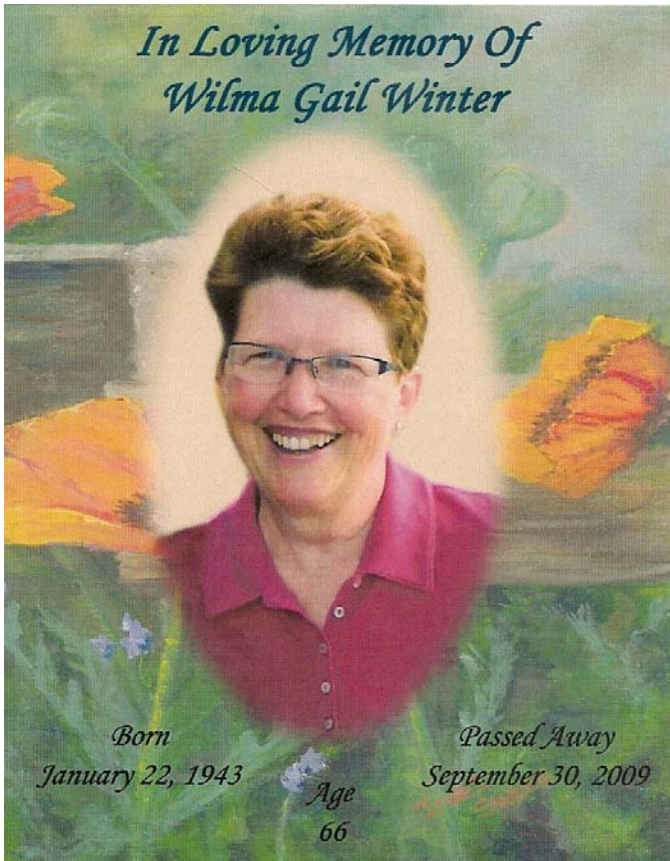
Harm Chapman October 3
John McCutcheon October 11
Happy Birthday to both!!!
Speaking of birthdays, this
autumn marks the eightieth
birthday of the
Kiwanis Club of Lethbridge!

DINNER THEATRE??? YES!!! A goodly number of us have opted to attend *The Light in the Piazza* on the evening of Monday, October 19. The show will be preceded by dinner at Coco Pazzo Italian (of course) Ristorante. Those having dinner can enjoy a posh limo ride from Yates to Coco and then from Coco back to Yates after dinner. *The Light in the Piazza* takes place in Florence, Italy. It is a love story with a twist. The music, we're told, is operatic. The performers are top level. If this promo makes you want to join in the fun, there is room for more. ACT NOW!!! ☺ ☺ ☺ ☺

ANNIVERSARIES

John and Barbara Banfield October 3
Frank and Katharine Russell
October 16

WILMA GAIL WINTER 1943-2009



With great sadness, we received news of the sudden passing of Wilma Winter, Kiwanian since 2003. Wilma fought breast cancer with courage and an upbeat attitude, qualities she had demonstrated throughout her life.

Wilma was born in a snow storm at home on the farm near Milk River in 1943. Her higher education was at the universities of Alberta, Calgary, and Oregon. She served the Lethbridge Community College and the University of Lethbridge for thirty-three years. She was part of the Department of Physical Education (now Kinesiology). As the only woman faculty member at the creation of the U of L in 1967, she was described as “founding mother” of the university.

She earned the Alberta Centennial Medal in 2005, and was chosen by the Lethbridge YWCA as a Woman of

Distinction in 2006. She was the Chair of the Kiwanis Music and Speech Arts Festival at the time of her passing.

Wilma’s death occurred on September 30, ironically the day before the start of Breast Cancer Awareness Month.

She was an asset to her family and to her community. She will be greatly missed by the Kiwanis Club of Lethbridge.



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